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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Lovell B. Ivie, et al.)
TITLE: INFORMATION)
COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS)
SERIAL NO.: 09/004,040) PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R.
FILED: January 7, 1998) §1.136(a)
EXAMINER: V. Srivastava)
ART UNIT: 2611)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated August 9, 2004, be extended for two months until January 10, 2005. Submitted herewith pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a), (2) is the fee of \$450.00 as required. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0836.

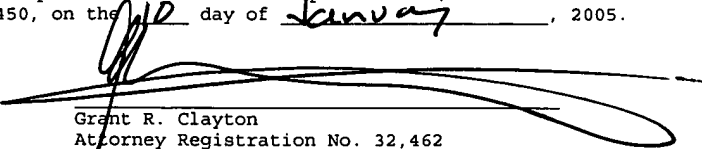
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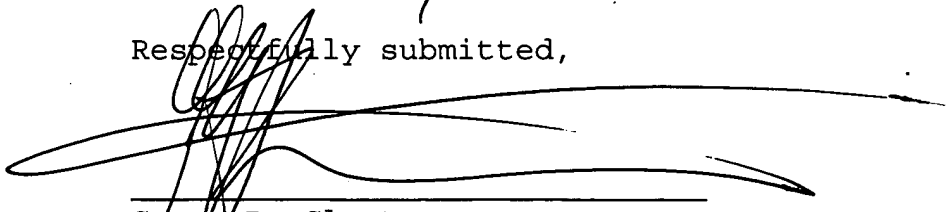
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Also submitted herewith is an Response B.

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